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Referred to Committee on GENERAL LAW

Introduced by:
(GL)

***AN ACT CONCERNING BAKERIES AND FOOD MANUFACTURING
ESTABLISHMENTS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 21a-151 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 For the purposes of this chapter:

4 (1) "Bakery" means a building or part of a building [wherein is
5 carried on the production of] where bread, cakes, doughnuts, crullers,
6 pies, cookies, crackers, spaghetti, macaroni or other food products are
7 made, either wholly or in part of flour or meal, and including all
8 frozen or canned baked goods. [All] "Bakery" includes, but is not
9 limited to, restaurants, hotels, private institutions, home bakeries,
10 establishments operating doughnut-frying equipment and other
11 similar places [, offering] that offer their products for sale. [, shall be
12 included.]

13 (2) "Food manufacturing establishment" means a building or part of

14 a building where food is prepared or stored for sale to other
15 establishments for human consumption. For purposes of this
16 subdivision, "prepared" means a process of canning, cooking, freezing,
17 [dehydration or milling] dehydrating, milling, repacking or cutting.
18 Premises [which] that are used solely for the retail sale or storage of
19 prepackaged food, and facilities, as described in sections 21a-24a and
20 22-6r, and chapters 417, 419a, 422, 423, 430, 431 and 491, shall not be
21 considered food manufacturing establishments.

22 (3) "Packaged food" means standard or random weight or volume
23 packages of food commodities that are enclosed in a container or
24 wrapped in any manner in advance of wholesale or retail sale, such
25 that the food commodities cannot be added to or subtracted from the
26 package or wrapping without breaking or tearing the wrapping,
27 container or seals on the wrapping or container.

28 Sec. 2. Subsection (a) of section 21a-152 of the general statutes is
29 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
30 *passage*):

31 (a) Each bakery and food manufacturing establishment shall be
32 designed, constructed and operated as the Commissioner of Consumer
33 Protection directs pursuant to this chapter and chapter 418.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	21a-151
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	21a-152(a)

Statement of Purpose:

To require food warehouses to be registered with the Department of Consumer Protection as "food manufacturing establishments" and to make technical and conforming changes to bakery and food manufacturing establishment statutes.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]